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1. Find the inverse of the function below (if it exists). Then, evaluate the inverse at x = 15 and choose the interval that  $f^{-1}(15)$  belongs to.

$$f(x) = \sqrt[3]{3x - 4}$$

The solution is 1126.33333333333, which is option B.

A.  $f^{-1}(15) \in [-1128.5, -1124.2]$ 

This solution corresponds to distractor 2.

- B.  $f^{-1}(15) \in [1124.3, 1128.9]$ 
  - \* This is the correct solution.
- C.  $f^{-1}(15) \in [-1124.2, -1120.8]$

This solution corresponds to distractor 3.

D.  $f^{-1}(15) \in [1121.9, 1125.8]$ 

Distractor 1: This corresponds to

E. The function is not invertible for all Real numbers.

This solution corresponds to distractor 4.

General Comment: Be sure you check that the function is 1-1 before trying to find the inverse!

2. Find the inverse of the function below. Then, evaluate the inverse at x = 7 and choose the interval that  $f^{-1}(7)$  belongs to.

$$f(x) = e^{x+5} - 3$$

The solution is  $f^{-1}(7) = -2.697$ , which is option C.

A. 
$$f^{-1}(7) \in [-2.55, -2.18]$$

This solution corresponds to distractor 3.

B. 
$$f^{-1}(7) \in [-1.84, -0.93]$$

This solution corresponds to distractor 2.

C. 
$$f^{-1}(7) \in [-3.14, -2.59]$$

This is the solution.

D. 
$$f^{-1}(7) \in [6.87, 7.36]$$

This solution corresponds to distractor 1.

E. 
$$f^{-1}(7) \in [-0.62, -0.27]$$

This solution corresponds to distractor 4.

**General Comment:** Natural log and exponential functions always have an inverse. Once you switch the x and y, use the conversion  $e^y = x \leftrightarrow y = \ln(x)$ .

3. Find the inverse of the function below. Then, evaluate the inverse at x = 7 and choose the interval that  $f^{-1}(7)$  belongs to.

$$f(x) = e^{x-5} + 3$$

The solution is  $f^{-1}(7) = 6.386$ , which is option C.

A.  $f^{-1}(7) \in [5.43, 5.54]$ 

This solution corresponds to distractor 3.

B.  $f^{-1}(7) \in [5.12, 5.31]$ 

This solution corresponds to distractor 2.

C.  $f^{-1}(7) \in [6.27, 6.45]$ 

This is the solution.

D.  $f^{-1}(7) \in [3.54, 3.82]$ 

This solution corresponds to distractor 4.

E.  $f^{-1}(7) \in [-3.62, -3.52]$ 

This solution corresponds to distractor 1.

**General Comment:** Natural log and exponential functions always have an inverse. Once you switch the x and y, use the conversion  $e^y = x \leftrightarrow y = \ln(x)$ .

4. Multiply the following functions, then choose the domain of the resulting function from the list below.

$$f(x) = 6x^4 + 4x^2 + 7x + 3$$
 and  $g(x) = \sqrt{-6x - 27}$ 

The solution is The domain is all Real numbers less than or equal to x = -4.5, which is option C.

- A. The domain is all Real numbers except x = a, where  $a \in [6.25, 9.25]$
- B. The domain is all Real numbers greater than or equal to x = a, where  $a \in [3.5, 10.5]$
- C. The domain is all Real numbers less than or equal to x = a, where  $a \in [-12.5, -1.5]$
- D. The domain is all Real numbers except x = a and x = b, where  $a \in [1.4, 5.4]$  and  $b \in [1.25, 7.25]$
- E. The domain is all Real numbers.

General Comment: The new domain is the intersection of the previous domains.

5. Determine whether the function below is 1-1.

$$f(x) = 18x^2 - 42x - 196$$

The solution is no, which is option A.

- A. No, because there is a y-value that goes to 2 different x-values.
  - \* This is the solution.
- B. No, because the range of the function is not  $(-\infty, \infty)$ .

Corresponds to believing 1-1 means the range is all Real numbers.

C. Yes, the function is 1-1.

Corresponds to believing the function passes the Horizontal Line test.

D. No, because the domain of the function is not  $(-\infty, \infty)$ .

Corresponds to believing 1-1 means the domain is all Real numbers.

E. No, because there is an x-value that goes to 2 different y-values.

Corresponds to the Vertical Line test, which checks if an expression is a function.

**General Comment:** There are only two valid options: The function is 1-1 OR No because there is a y-value that goes to 2 different x-values.

6. Choose the interval below that f composed with g at x = -1 is in.

$$f(x) = 3x^3 + 2x^2 - 4x - 4$$
 and  $g(x) = 3x^3 + x^2 + 2x + 3$ 

The solution is -1.0, which is option B.

A.  $(f \circ g)(-1) \in [1.9, 4.3]$ 

Distractor 2: Corresponds to being slightly off from the solution.

B.  $(f \circ g)(-1) \in [-2.4, 0.1]$ 

\* This is the correct solution

C.  $(f \circ g)(-1) \in [-2.4, 0.1]$ 

Distractor 1: Corresponds to reversing the composition.

D.  $(f \circ g)(-1) \in [5.6, 7.5]$ 

Distractor 3: Corresponds to being slightly off from the solution.

E. It is not possible to compose the two functions.

**General Comment:** f composed with g at x means f(g(x)). The order matters!

7. Find the inverse of the function below (if it exists). Then, evaluate the inverse at x = 12 and choose the interval that  $f^{-1}(12)$  belongs to.

$$f(x) = \sqrt[3]{5x+2}$$

The solution is 345.2, which is option D.

A. 
$$f^{-1}(12) \in [-345.36, -344.52]$$

This solution corresponds to distractor 2.

B.  $f^{-1}(12) \in [345.63, 346.11]$ 

Distractor 1: This corresponds to

C.  $f^{-1}(12) \in [-346.21, -345.48]$ 

This solution corresponds to distractor 3.

D.  $f^{-1}(12) \in [344.56, 345.27]$ 

\* This is the correct solution.

E. The function is not invertible for all Real numbers.

This solution corresponds to distractor 4.

General Comment: Be sure you check that the function is 1-1 before trying to find the inverse!

8. Choose the interval below that f composed with g at x = -1 is in.

$$f(x) = x^3 - 1x^2 - 2x$$
 and  $q(x) = -3x^3 + 3x^2 - x - 2$ 

The solution is 90.0, which is option A.

- A.  $(f \circ g)(-1) \in [89, 92]$ 
  - \* This is the correct solution
- B.  $(f \circ g)(-1) \in [-13, -8]$

Distractor 3: Corresponds to being slightly off from the solution.

C.  $(f \circ g)(-1) \in [81, 89]$ 

Distractor 2: Corresponds to being slightly off from the solution.

D.  $(f \circ g)(-1) \in [-2, 0]$ 

Distractor 1: Corresponds to reversing the composition.

E. It is not possible to compose the two functions.

**General Comment:** f composed with q at x means f(q(x)). The order matters!

9. Subtract the following functions, then choose the domain of the resulting function from the list below.

$$f(x) = \frac{3}{4x - 23}$$
 and  $g(x) = \frac{2}{4x - 29}$ 

The solution is The domain is all Real numbers except x = 5.75 and x = 7.25, which is option D.

- A. The domain is all Real numbers except x = a, where  $a \in [6.67, 12.67]$
- B. The domain is all Real numbers greater than or equal to x = a, where  $a \in [-12, 1]$
- C. The domain is all Real numbers less than or equal to x = a, where  $a \in [0.4, 5.4]$
- D. The domain is all Real numbers except x = a and x = b, where  $a \in [-2.25, 7.75]$  and  $b \in [6.25, 10.25]$
- E. The domain is all Real numbers.

General Comment: The new domain is the intersection of the previous domains.

10. Determine whether the function below is 1-1.

$$f(x) = 18x^2 + 15x - 375$$

The solution is no, which is option C.

A. No, because the domain of the function is not  $(-\infty, \infty)$ .

Corresponds to believing 1-1 means the domain is all Real numbers.

B. No, because there is an x-value that goes to 2 different y-values.

Corresponds to the Vertical Line test, which checks if an expression is a function.

C. No, because there is a y-value that goes to 2 different x-values.

\* This is the solution.

D. Yes, the function is 1-1.

Corresponds to believing the function passes the Horizontal Line test.

E. No, because the range of the function is not  $(-\infty, \infty)$ .

Corresponds to believing 1-1 means the range is all Real numbers.

**General Comment:** There are only two valid options: The function is 1-1 OR No because there is a y-value that goes to 2 different x-values.

11. Find the inverse of the function below (if it exists). Then, evaluate the inverse at x = -14 and choose the interval that  $f^{-1}(-14)$  belongs to.

$$f(x) = 3x^2 + 5$$

The solution is The function is not invertible for all Real numbers. , which is option E.

A. 
$$f^{-1}(-14) \in [2.77, 3.81]$$

Distractor 3: This corresponds to finding the (nonexistent) inverse and dividing by a negative.

B. 
$$f^{-1}(-14) \in [2.33, 3.07]$$

Distractor 1: This corresponds to trying to find the inverse even though the function is not 1-1.

C. 
$$f^{-1}(-14) \in [5.4, 6.07]$$

Distractor 4: This corresponds to both distractors 2 and 3.

D. 
$$f^{-1}(-14) \in [0.99, 1.76]$$

Distractor 2: This corresponds to finding the (nonexistent) inverse and not subtracting by the vertical shift.

- E. The function is not invertible for all Real numbers.
  - \* This is the correct option.

General Comment: Be sure you check that the function is 1-1 before trying to find the inverse!

12. Find the inverse of the function below. Then, evaluate the inverse at x = 10 and choose the interval that  $f^{-1}(10)$  belongs to.

$$f(x) = e^{x-5} - 2$$

The solution is  $f^{-1}(10) = 7.485$ , which is option B.

A. 
$$f^{-1}(10) \in [-2.64, -2.2]$$

This solution corresponds to distractor 1.

B. 
$$f^{-1}(10) \in [7.04, 7.51]$$

This is the solution.

C. 
$$f^{-1}(10) \in [0.21, 1.68]$$

This solution corresponds to distractor 3.

D. 
$$f^{-1}(10) \in [-0.58, -0.36]$$

This solution corresponds to distractor 4.

E. 
$$f^{-1}(10) \in [-0.38, 0.5]$$

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This solution corresponds to distractor 2.

**General Comment:** Natural log and exponential functions always have an inverse. Once you switch the x and y, use the conversion  $e^y = x \leftrightarrow y = \ln(x)$ .

13. Find the inverse of the function below. Then, evaluate the inverse at x = 8 and choose the interval that  $f^{-}1(8)$  belongs to.

$$f(x) = e^{x-5} - 5$$

The solution is  $f^{-1}(8) = 7.565$ , which is option A.

A.  $f^{-1}(8) \in [7.2, 8]$ 

This is the solution.

B.  $f^{-1}(8) \in [-3.8, -1.4]$ 

This solution corresponds to distractor 1.

C.  $f^{-1}(8) \in [-6.4, -2.6]$ 

This solution corresponds to distractor 2.

D.  $f^{-1}(8) \in [-3.8, -1.4]$ 

This solution corresponds to distractor 3.

E.  $f^{-1}(8) \in [-6.4, -2.6]$ 

This solution corresponds to distractor 4.

**General Comment:** Natural log and exponential functions always have an inverse. Once you switch the x and y, use the conversion  $e^y = x \leftrightarrow y = \ln(x)$ .

14. Add the following functions, then choose the domain of the resulting function from the list below.

$$f(x) = \frac{2}{5x - 28}$$
 and  $g(x) = 4x^2 + 6x + 2$ 

The solution is The domain is all Real numbers except x = 5.6, which is option B.

- A. The domain is all Real numbers greater than or equal to x = a, where  $a \in [-0.4, 7.6]$
- B. The domain is all Real numbers except x = a, where  $a \in [-0.4, 6.6]$
- C. The domain is all Real numbers less than or equal to x = a, where  $a \in [0.5, 9.5]$
- D. The domain is all Real numbers except x = a and x = b, where  $a \in [4.17, 12.17]$  and  $b \in [3.25, 8.25]$
- E. The domain is all Real numbers.

General Comment: The new domain is the intersection of the previous domains.

15. Determine whether the function below is 1-1.

$$f(x) = 18x^2 + 312x + 1014$$

The solution is no, which is option D.

A. No, because the range of the function is not  $(-\infty, \infty)$ .

Corresponds to believing 1-1 means the range is all Real numbers.

B. No, because there is an x-value that goes to 2 different y-values.

Corresponds to the Vertical Line test, which checks if an expression is a function.

C. Yes, the function is 1-1.

Corresponds to believing the function passes the Horizontal Line test.

- D. No, because there is a y-value that goes to 2 different x-values.
  - \* This is the solution.
- E. No, because the domain of the function is not  $(-\infty, \infty)$ .

Corresponds to believing 1-1 means the domain is all Real numbers.

**General Comment:** There are only two valid options: The function is 1-1 OR No because there is a y-value that goes to 2 different x-values.

16. Choose the interval below that f composed with g at x = 1 is in.

$$f(x) = x^3 + 4x^2 - 3x - 3$$
 and  $g(x) = 3x^3 - 1x^2 - x - 1$ 

The solution is -3.0, which is option C.

A.  $(f \circ g)(1) \in [4.2, 9.3]$ 

Distractor 2: Corresponds to being slightly off from the solution.

B.  $(f \circ g)(1) \in [-7.2, -3.6]$ 

Distractor 1: Corresponds to reversing the composition.

- C.  $(f \circ g)(1) \in [-3.9, 0.9]$ 
  - \* This is the correct solution
- D.  $(f \circ g)(1) \in [1.7, 4.4]$

Distractor 3: Corresponds to being slightly off from the solution.

E. It is not possible to compose the two functions.

**General Comment:** f composed with g at x means f(g(x)). The order matters!

17. Find the inverse of the function below (if it exists). Then, evaluate the inverse at x = 12 and choose the interval that  $f^{-1}(12)$  belongs to.

$$f(x) = 5x^2 + 3$$

The solution is The function is not invertible for all Real numbers. , which is option E.

A.  $f^{-1}(12) \in [1.53, 2.27]$ 

Distractor 2: This corresponds to finding the (nonexistent) inverse and not subtracting by the vertical shift.

B.  $f^{-1}(12) \in [2.76, 3.9]$ 

Distractor 3: This corresponds to finding the (nonexistent) inverse and dividing by a negative.

C.  $f^{-1}(12) \in [0.8, 1.48]$ 

Distractor 1: This corresponds to trying to find the inverse even though the function is not 1-1.

D.  $f^{-1}(12) \in [4.01, 5.49]$ 

Distractor 4: This corresponds to both distractors 2 and 3.

- E. The function is not invertible for all Real numbers.
  - \* This is the correct option.

General Comment: Be sure you check that the function is 1-1 before trying to find the inverse!

18. Choose the interval below that f composed with g at x = -1 is in.

$$f(x) = -x^3 + x^2 - x$$
 and  $g(x) = -x^3 + 4x^2 + 4x$ 

The solution is -1.0, which is option B.

A.  $(f \circ g)(-1) \in [13, 17]$ 

Distractor 3: Corresponds to being slightly off from the solution.

B.  $(f \circ g)(-1) \in [-2, 0]$ 

\* This is the correct solution

C.  $(f \circ g)(-1) \in [-12, -5]$ 

Distractor 2: Corresponds to being slightly off from the solution.

D.  $(f \circ g)(-1) \in [21, 23]$ 

Distractor 1: Corresponds to reversing the composition.

E. It is not possible to compose the two functions.

**General Comment:** f composed with g at x means f(g(x)). The order matters!

19. Add the following functions, then choose the domain of the resulting function from the list below.

$$f(x) = \sqrt{-6x - 19}$$
 and  $g(x) = 4x^2 + 6x + 4$ 

The solution is The domain is all Real numbers less than or equal to x = -3.17, which is option A.

- A. The domain is all Real numbers less than or equal to x = a, where  $a \in [-3.17, -1.17]$
- B. The domain is all Real numbers except x = a, where  $a \in [4.17, 11.17]$
- C. The domain is all Real numbers greater than or equal to x = a, where  $a \in [0.6, 9.6]$
- D. The domain is all Real numbers except x = a and x = b, where  $a \in [6.25, 11.25]$  and  $b \in [3.2, 10.2]$
- E. The domain is all Real numbers.

General Comment: The new domain is the intersection of the previous domains.

20. Determine whether the function below is 1-1.

$$f(x) = 9x^2 + 120x + 400$$

The solution is no, which is option E.

A. No, because the range of the function is not  $(-\infty, \infty)$ .

Corresponds to believing 1-1 means the range is all Real numbers.

B. Yes, the function is 1-1.

Corresponds to believing the function passes the Horizontal Line test.

C. No, because the domain of the function is not  $(-\infty, \infty)$ .

Corresponds to believing 1-1 means the domain is all Real numbers.

D. No, because there is an x-value that goes to 2 different y-values.

Corresponds to the Vertical Line test, which checks if an expression is a function.

- E. No, because there is a y-value that goes to 2 different x-values.
  - \* This is the solution.

**General Comment:** There are only two valid options: The function is 1-1 OR No because there is a y-value that goes to 2 different x-values.

21. Find the inverse of the function below (if it exists). Then, evaluate the inverse at x = -15 and choose the interval that  $f^{-1}(-15)$  belongs to.

$$f(x) = 5x^2 + 4$$

The solution is The function is not invertible for all Real numbers. , which is option E.

A. 
$$f^{-1}(-15) \in [2.55, 3.24]$$

Distractor 3: This corresponds to finding the (nonexistent) inverse and dividing by a negative.

B. 
$$f^{-1}(-15) \in [0.22, 1.57]$$

Distractor 2: This corresponds to finding the (nonexistent) inverse and not subtracting by the vertical shift.

C. 
$$f^{-1}(-15) \in [5.71, 6.76]$$

Distractor 4: This corresponds to both distractors 2 and 3.

D. 
$$f^{-1}(-15) \in [1.92, 2.48]$$

Distractor 1: This corresponds to trying to find the inverse even though the function is not 1-1.

- E. The function is not invertible for all Real numbers.
  - \* This is the correct option.

General Comment: Be sure you check that the function is 1-1 before trying to find the inverse!

22. Find the inverse of the function below. Then, evaluate the inverse at x = 9 and choose the interval that  $f^{-}1(9)$  belongs to.

$$f(x) = e^{x-5} - 2$$

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The solution is  $f^{-1}(9) = 7.398$ , which is option B.

A. 
$$f^{-1}(9) \in [-0.52, 0.09]$$

This solution corresponds to distractor 2.

B. 
$$f^{-1}(9) \in [6.77, 7.99]$$

This is the solution.

C. 
$$f^{-1}(9) \in [-0.67, -0.3]$$

This solution corresponds to distractor 4.

D. 
$$f^{-1}(9) \in [-2.85, -2.48]$$

This solution corresponds to distractor 1.

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E.  $f^{-1}(9) \in [0.5, 1.03]$ 

This solution corresponds to distractor 3.

**General Comment:** Natural log and exponential functions always have an inverse. Once you switch the x and y, use the conversion  $e^y = x \leftrightarrow y = \ln(x)$ .

23. Find the inverse of the function below. Then, evaluate the inverse at x = 8 and choose the interval that  $f^{-1}(8)$  belongs to.

$$f(x) = e^{x-2} - 3$$

The solution is  $f^{-1}(8) = 4.398$ , which is option A.

A.  $f^{-1}(8) \in [3.79, 5.33]$ 

This is the solution.

B.  $f^{-1}(8) \in [0.3, 0.72]$ 

This solution corresponds to distractor 1.

C.  $f^{-1}(8) \in [-1.81, -1.38]$ 

This solution corresponds to distractor 2.

D.  $f^{-1}(8) \in [-0.85, -0.59]$ 

This solution corresponds to distractor 3.

E.  $f^{-1}(8) \in [-1.27, -1.04]$ 

This solution corresponds to distractor 4.

**General Comment:** Natural log and exponential functions always have an inverse. Once you switch the x and y, use the conversion  $e^y = x \leftrightarrow y = \ln(x)$ .

24. Multiply the following functions, then choose the domain of the resulting function from the list below.

$$f(x) = \frac{4}{6x + 29}$$
 and  $g(x) = \frac{4}{4x - 17}$ 

The solution is The domain is all Real numbers except x = -4.83 and x = 4.25, which is option D.

- A. The domain is all Real numbers less than or equal to x = a, where  $a \in [-8.33, 4.67]$
- B. The domain is all Real numbers greater than or equal to x = a, where  $a \in [-4.25, -2.25]$
- C. The domain is all Real numbers except x = a, where  $a \in [-9.17, -1.17]$
- D. The domain is all Real numbers except x=a and x=b, where  $a\in[-8.83,-2.83]$  and  $b\in[4.25,8.25]$
- E. The domain is all Real numbers.

**General Comment:** The new domain is the intersection of the previous domains.

25. Determine whether the function below is 1-1.

$$f(x) = -36x^2 - 342x - 756$$

The solution is no, which is option B.

A. No, because the domain of the function is not  $(-\infty, \infty)$ .

Corresponds to believing 1-1 means the domain is all Real numbers.

- B. No, because there is a y-value that goes to 2 different x-values.
  - \* This is the solution.
- C. Yes, the function is 1-1.

Corresponds to believing the function passes the Horizontal Line test.

D. No, because there is an x-value that goes to 2 different y-values.

Corresponds to the Vertical Line test, which checks if an expression is a function.

E. No, because the range of the function is not  $(-\infty, \infty)$ .

Corresponds to believing 1-1 means the range is all Real numbers.

**General Comment:** There are only two valid options: The function is 1-1 OR No because there is a y-value that goes to 2 different x-values.

26. Choose the interval below that f composed with g at x = -1 is in.

$$f(x) = -x^3 + 2x^2 + 2x - 2$$
 and  $g(x) = -4x^3 - 2x^2 + x$ 

The solution is 1.0, which is option A.

- A.  $(f \circ g)(-1) \in [-3, 5]$ 
  - \* This is the correct solution
- B.  $(f \circ g)(-1) \in [-3, 5]$

Distractor 1: Corresponds to reversing the composition.

C.  $(f \circ g)(-1) \in [-6, -1]$ 

Distractor 3: Corresponds to being slightly off from the solution.

D.  $(f \circ g)(-1) \in [-8, -5]$ 

Distractor 2: Corresponds to being slightly off from the solution.

E. It is not possible to compose the two functions.

**General Comment:** f composed with g at x means f(g(x)). The order matters!

27. Find the inverse of the function below (if it exists). Then, evaluate the inverse at x = 14 and choose the interval that  $f^{-1}(14)$  belongs to.

$$f(x) = 5x^2 + 3$$

The solution is The function is not invertible for all Real numbers. , which is option E.

A.  $f^{-1}(14) \in [5.96, 6.85]$ 

Distractor 4: This corresponds to both distractors 2 and 3.

B.  $f^{-1}(14) \in [3.46, 3.64]$ 

Distractor 3: This corresponds to finding the (nonexistent) inverse and dividing by a negative.

C.  $f^{-1}(14) \in [1.66, 2.16]$ 

Distractor 2: This corresponds to finding the (nonexistent) inverse and not subtracting by the vertical shift.

D.  $f^{-1}(14) \in [1.43, 1.51]$ 

Distractor 1: This corresponds to trying to find the inverse even though the function is not 1-1.

- E. The function is not invertible for all Real numbers.
  - \* This is the correct option.

General Comment: Be sure you check that the function is 1-1 before trying to find the inverse!

28. Choose the interval below that f composed with g at x = -1 is in.

$$f(x) = 4x^3 + x^2 - x - 1$$
 and  $g(x) = -x^3 - 1x^2 + x$ 

The solution is -3.0, which is option B.

A.  $(f \circ g)(-1) \in [21, 24]$ 

Distractor 3: Corresponds to being slightly off from the solution.

B.  $(f \circ g)(-1) \in [-9, 1]$ 

\* This is the correct solution

C.  $(f \circ g)(-1) \in [11, 16]$ 

Distractor 1: Corresponds to reversing the composition.

D.  $(f \circ g)(-1) \in [3, 7]$ 

Distractor 2: Corresponds to being slightly off from the solution.

E. It is not possible to compose the two functions.

**General Comment:** f composed with g at x means f(g(x)). The order matters!

29. Subtract the following functions, then choose the domain of the resulting function from the list below.

$$f(x) = \sqrt{-6x - 23}$$
 and  $g(x) = 7x^2 + 4x + 8$ 

The solution is The domain is all Real numbers less than or equal to x = -3.83, which is option C.

- A. The domain is all Real numbers greater than or equal to x = a, where  $a \in [-10, -5]$
- B. The domain is all Real numbers except x = a, where  $a \in [-6.67, -3.67]$
- C. The domain is all Real numbers less than or equal to x = a, where  $a \in [-8.83, 4.17]$
- D. The domain is all Real numbers except x = a and x = b, where  $a \in [-0.75, 9.25]$  and  $b \in [4.25, 6.25]$
- E. The domain is all Real numbers.

General Comment: The new domain is the intersection of the previous domains.

30. Determine whether the function below is 1-1.

$$f(x) = -12x^2 - 57x - 63$$

The solution is no, which is option C.

A. Yes, the function is 1-1.

Corresponds to believing the function passes the Horizontal Line test.

B. No, because there is an x-value that goes to 2 different y-values.

Corresponds to the Vertical Line test, which checks if an expression is a function.

- C. No, because there is a y-value that goes to 2 different x-values.
  - \* This is the solution.
- D. No, because the range of the function is not  $(-\infty, \infty)$ .

Corresponds to believing 1-1 means the range is all Real numbers.

E. No, because the domain of the function is not  $(-\infty, \infty)$ .

Corresponds to believing 1-1 means the domain is all Real numbers.

**General Comment:** There are only two valid options: The function is 1-1 OR No because there is a y-value that goes to 2 different x-values.